

Welcome

You are entering one of the most common types of forests in Alabama, mixed hardwoods and pines. These forests are a valuable source of lumber and wood products. In addition, they provide food and shelter for a variety of wildlife.

As you walk or bike, take a few moments to enjoy the sights and sounds of the forest. You will discover a diversity of plants, from the tallest loblolly pine to the low growing wild ginger. You may see evidence of wildlife along the trail: a deer track, ground scratched by turkeys, an armadillo dig, or trees with woodpecker holes. Do not just look for things to see, but listen closely and you may hear the gentle chirping of a songbird or the excited chatter of a gray squirrel.

You may have noticed that Beech Tree Hollow Hiking Trail connects with Gobbler Ridge Trail. Beech Tree Hollow Trail is for foot traffic only. In the hollow are a wide variety of plants not found on the paved trail. The soil is damp and light is limited because of the dense overstory of trees. In this shady bottom, you will find an abundance of mosses, ferns, and wild flowers.

Enjoy your walk or bike ride. Please remember that this trail is for the enjoyment of all and is a home to many. Please leave the plants and animals undisturbed. Take only memories and leave only your footprints.

Remember: Wear Your Life Jacket & Always Swim With A Buddy!!!!

Gobbler Ridge Trail Plant Identification List

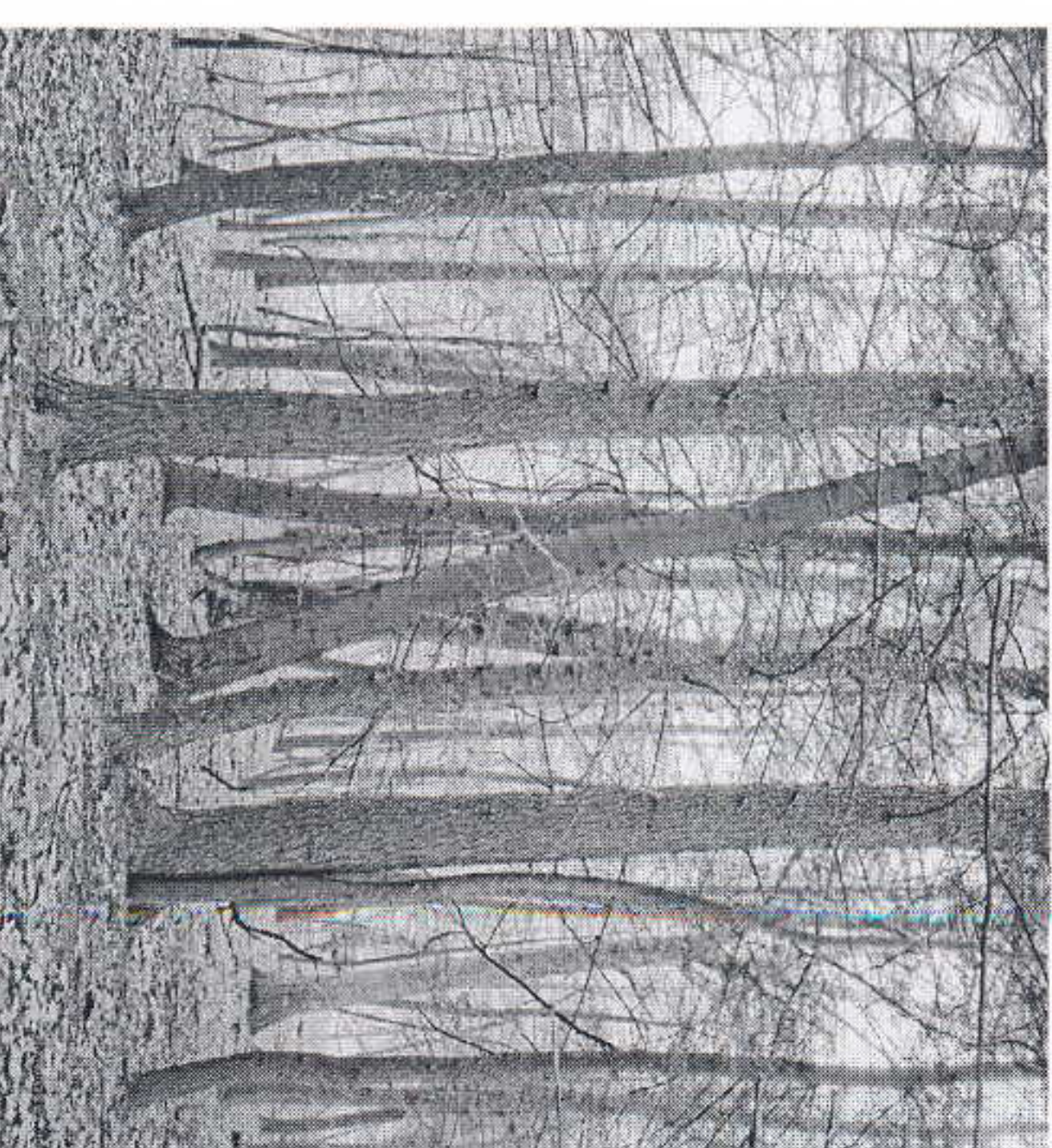
1. Green Ash
2. Red Maple
3. American Holly
4. Chalk Maple
5. Northern Red Oak
6. Yellow-poplar
7. Loblolly Pine
8. Post Oak
9. Oakleaf Hydrangea
10. American Beech
11. Sweetgum
12. Southern Red Oak
13. Mockernut Hickory
14. Low-bush Blueberry
15. Black Cherry
16. White Oak
17. Devils-walkingstick
18. Eastern Red Cedar
19. Eastern Redbud
20. Bamboo
21. Black Tupelo
22. Eastern Hophornbeam
23. Flowering Dogwood
24. Yucca
25. Virginia Pine
26. Downy Serviceberry

For detailed plant identification list, please contact park attendant or park ranger.

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Gobbler Ridge Bicycle Trail And Beech Tree Hollow Hiking Trail



Deerlick Creek Campground

Holt Lake,
Black Warrior and
Tombigbee Lakes



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Mobile District

DEERLICK CREEK CAMPGROUND TRAILS

Wildlife Food Plots are planted to provide fresh, high quality protein throughout most of the calendar year.

Wildlife Food Plot

To Campground

Yucca Forest

Beaver Run Hill

Old Man Red Oak

Tall Pine

Nature's Bench

Twisted Pine

Hydrangea Thicket

Fern Bank

Cane Break

Disappearing Branch

Mossy Oak Hill

To Park Attendant Station

LEGEND

— Gobbler Ridge Paved Bicycle and Walking Trail (.5 miles)

..... Beech Tree Hollow Hiking Trail (1 mile)

— Slough

